



ALU LIKE, Inc.
Honolulu, HI

Project Title	Asset Building Initiative of Hawaii
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AFI Grant Amount	\$142,500
Nonfederal Support	\$1,012,902
Project Period	September 2004 – September 2009
Highlights	The Asset Building Initiative of Hawaii will expand its existing AFI-supported project to help at least 89 more Hawaii residents become economically self-sufficient with an IDA. Participants will learn financial skills and save in their IDAs with a match rate of \$2 to \$1 for education and business and \$4 to \$1 for homeownership. The program's maximum savings match will be \$2,000 for education and business and \$4,000 for homeownership. Partnering agencies will provide additional recruiting, education, and training.
Target Population	Low-income people throughout Hawaii, including Section 8 housing recipients and public housing residents and native Hawaiians.
Grantee/Collaborative Description	<p>ALU LIKE, Inc. is a nonprofit service organization that has assisted native Hawaiians since 1975 in their efforts to achieve social and economic self-sufficiency. ALU LIKE, Inc. offers a comprehensive range of services and activities that address needs identified in the native Hawaiian community, including community economic development, business assistance, employment preparation, training, library services, and specialized services to youth and elders.</p> <p>ALU LIKE's partners for the Asset Building Initiative of Hawaii include the City and County of Honolulu Family Self-Sufficiency Program, Hawaii Homeownership Center, Parents and Children Together, American Savings Bank, Bank of Hawaii, and others.</p>